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Like New Edition in Boston, Boyz II Men is a staple of Philly's pop culture history. The iconic R&B group has amassed plenty of accolades over the years, but now one of the founding members is embarking on a new adventure. Singer Nathan Morris is giving the term "hometown hero" a new meaning as he explores his passion for flipping houses with his new DIY Network series, "Hit Properties." We caught up with the Boyz II Men star to chat about the show and more.

NJT IN CRISIS, NEEDS STRATEGIC PLAN: AUDIT

1 An audit of New Jersey Transit released on Tuesday found that operations at the state's passenger rail system were "inefficient" and "unsustainable," and recommended that the state urgently implement strategic planning, recruit more personnel and invest in technology. "This audit is what will allow us to begin rebuilding New Jersey Transit and restore faith in its operations," New Jersey Gov. Phil Murphy said on Tuesday. The $1.3 million audit of NJ Transit, the largest statewide public transportation system in the U.S., highlighted the system's inadequate funding, failures in organizational structure and a dearth of engineers. Amtrak, the U.S. national rail operator, is responsible for maintaining tracks and other railroad infrastructure on the Northeast Corridor — a crucial railroad gateway connecting New England to Washington that runs through New Jersey via New York Penn Station. But Penn Station, which is used by an estimated 600,000 commuter rail and Amtrak passengers daily, has been hampered by a limited number of tracks and a century-old tunnel to New Jersey, which was heavily damaged during 2012's Superstorm Sandy.

FRENCH RAPPERS FINED FOR AIRPORT BRAWL

2 Two French rappers who clashed in a gang fight at Paris's Orly airport, delaying flights and damaging a departures lounge, were fined 50,000 euros ($57,000) each on Tuesday but escaped jail time. Their trial shone a light on the lifestyle of rappers, whose swaggering lyrics are often part of a bad-boy image which heightens their notoriety and music sales, but sometimes ends up being played out for real. Passengers took mobile-phone videos as the rap stars — who go by their stage names Booba and Kaaris — and their minders swung fists and lashed out with kicks in the Aug. 1 punch-up. The two defendants, whose notoriety for their music and lyrics has been amplified by hostile verbal exchanges on social networks, were not present in court for Tuesday's sentencing. In addition to the fines, a judge gave the two suspended prison terms, meaning they will not serve time behind bars. The sentencing came days after a separate case in which another musician shot from obscurity to infamy with the release of a video called "Hang White People," which has been pulled from Internet platforms ahead of a trial set for January.

EXPEDITION 57 SOYUZ ROLLOUT

3 At the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakhstan, launchpad gantry arms are seen closing around the Soyuz rocket in this long-exposure photograph taken Tuesday. Expedition 57 crew members Nick Hague of NASA and Alexey Ovchinin of Roscosmos are scheduled to launch on Oct. 11 on the Soyuz MS-10 spacecraft for a six-month mission living and working aboard the International Space Station.

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ACTING EPA HEAD LIKED 'RACIST' OBAMA PHOTO

4 The acting head of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency liked a controversial Facebook photo five years ago of then-President Barack Obama that a civil rights group has called racist, the Huffington Post reported on Tuesday. Andrew Wheeler, a longtime Washington insider, has kept a low profile compared to Scott Pruitt, who was forced to resign as head of the EPA in July under a cloud of ethics allegations including that he made staff search hotels for special skin lotion. In January 2013, when Wheeler was a lobbyist for Murray Energy, a privately owned coal company, he liked an image on Facebook of former President Barack Obama and his wife Michelle that depicted them staring at a banana, said the report, which listed other social-media activity by Wheeler that critics said was inappropriate. Heidi Beirich, the head of the intelligence project at the Southern Poverty Law Center, a civil rights group, called the image of the Obamas "blatantly racist." She said the people Wheeler interacted with "are just not folks a legitimate person should have anything to do with."

STEVIE NICKS, DEF LEPPARD EARLY FAVES FOR HOF

5 Fleetwood Mac singer Stevie Nicks and glam-metal band Def Leppard led voting among fans on Tuesday for induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, outstripping the 13 other nominees eligible for a place in music history. Nicks and British band Def Leppard were among 15 acts from a wide range of styles announced as nominees, including country singer-songwriter John Prine, Chicago funk group Rufus featuring Chaka Khan and leftist rockers Rage Against the Machine. Janet Jackson, a five-time Grammy winner, will have a third chance to gain induction after failing to make it in her first two times on the ballot. Nicks, a two-time Grammy winner known for her haunting vocal style, was inducted into the Hall 20 years ago as a member of the popular 1970s group Fleetwood Mac. She is nominated this time for her solo career. The Rock & Roll Hall of Fame sends ballots to over 1,000 artists, historians and members of the music industry to select the inductees. They will be announced in December and inducted into the Hall of Fame at a ceremony in March in New York.

‘Monstrous’ Hurricane Michael menaces Florida

Michael is expected to strengthen to a Cat 3 storm.

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“Monstrous” Hurricane Michael bore down on northwestern Florida on Tuesday and was expected to strengthen into a powerful Category 3 storm before hitting land on Wednesday, triggering dangerous coastal flooding and bringing high winds and torrential rains.

Authorities told tens of thousands of residents and tourists in at least 20 Florida counties to evacuate coastal areas along the 200-mile-long Panhandle and Big Bend region. The storm was expected to hit land around midday Wednesday, said National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration forecaster Kenneth Widelski.

Michael, carrying top winds of 110 mph, caused major disruption to U.S. oil production as it headed north over the Gulf of Mexico.

It was expected to strengthen into a Category 3 storm on the five-step Saffir-Simpson scale before hitting land, said the National Hurricane Center, which classifies storms of Category 3 and above as major hurricanes. That would make it the most powerful storm to strike the Panhandle in more than a decade.

Authorities stressed the danger of the storm surge, when hurricanes push seawater high above their normal levels, causing coastal flooding. Forecasters said Michael could cause a storm surge of up to 12 feet above normal seawater levels in Florida.

“If you don’t follow warnings from officials this storm could kill you,” Florida Gov. Rick Scott said on Tuesday.

Producers in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico on Tuesday cut oil production by about 40 percent and natural gas output by 28 percent as Michael approached the coast, the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement said, citing reports from 27 companies.

The Gulf produces 17 percent of daily U.S. crude oil output and 5 percent of daily natural gas output, according to the U.S. Energy Information Administration. The partial shutdown ahead of Michael helped push oil prices slightly higher on Tuesday.

Scott declared a state of emergency in 35 counties in Florida’s Panhandle and Big Bend regions, mostly rural areas known for small tourist cities, beaches and wildlife reserves, and the state capital, Tallahassee.

The hurricane was forecast to deliver as much as 1 foot of rain in parts of Florida, Georgia and South Carolina. The Federal Emergency Management Agency had numerous teams deployed and ready to respond, said FEMA spokesman Jeff Byard. About 2,500 National Guard soldiers were assisting and more than 4,000 troops were on standby. Some 13,000 utility restoration workers were also on standby.

President Donald Trump told reporters at the White House the country was very well prepared for the hurricane, adding it was much bigger than had been expected. REUTERS

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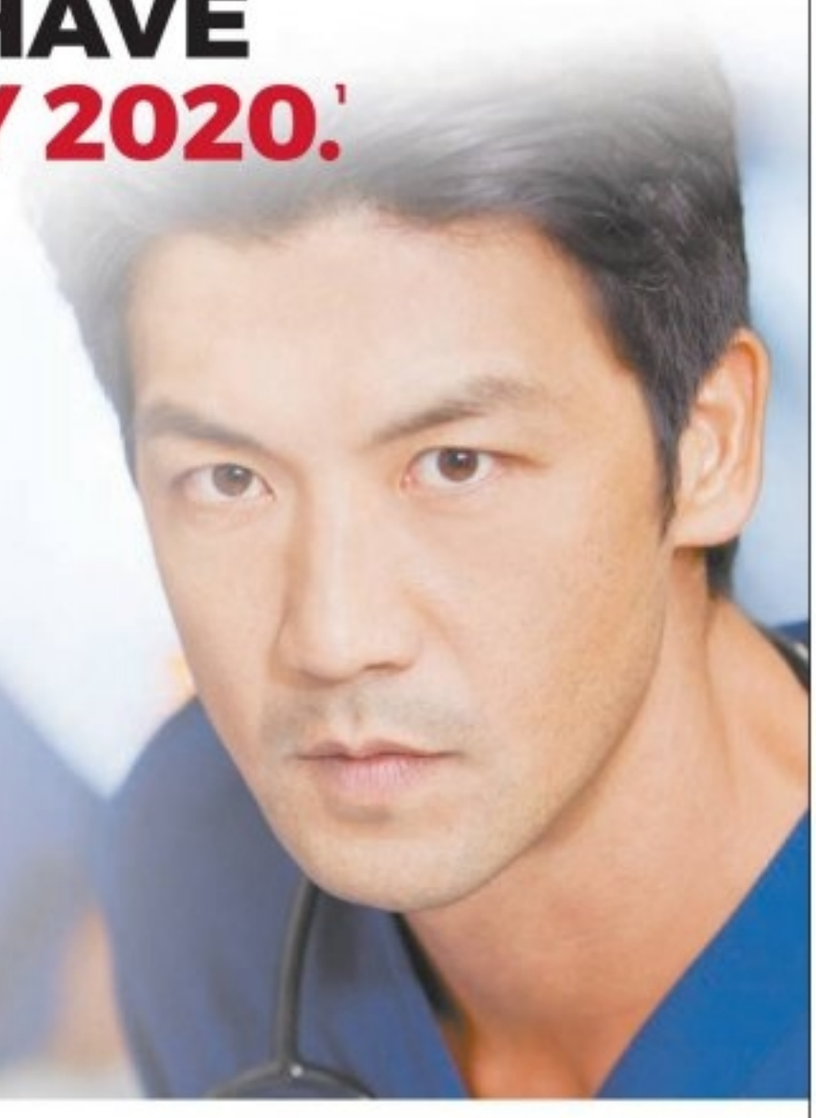

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Haley quits, denies 2020 ambitions

The highest-profile woman in the administration will stay on for the remainder of the year.

Nikki Haley announced on Tuesday she is resigning as the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, but the rising Republican star immediately denied she was preparing to challenge President Donald Trump in the 2020 presidential election.

Sitting beside Trump in the Oval Office, Haley said her 18-month stint at the United Nations had been "an honor of a lifetime" and said she would stay on until the end of the year.

A former governor of South Carolina who is the daughter of Indian immigrants, Haley is the highest-profile woman in Trump's cabinet and is often seen as a possible presidential candidate.

But she said in her resignation letter to Trump she would "surely not be a candidate for any office in 2020" and would support his re-election bid.

She told reporters in the Oval Office on Tuesday: "No, I am not running for 2020."

Haley said she did not have any future plans set and did not give a reason for quitting, but Trump said she had told him some six months ago that she was thinking of leaving by the end the year "to take a little time off."

Haley's fast rise from a Southern state's legislature to the world stage suggests the 46-year-old may have greater political ambition.

Describing her U.N. tenure as "fantastic" and "incredible," Trump was effusive in his praise for Haley. He accepted her resignation and said he would name her successor within two or three weeks.

Haley has been the face of Trump's "America First" policy at the United

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Nations, steering the U.S. withdrawal from several U.N. programs and ardently defending his hard-line policies against Iran and North Korea over their nuclear programs.

But Haley has also sometimes distanced herself from Trump.

"She has done an incredible job. She is a fantastic person, very importantly, but she also is somebody that gets it," Trump said on Tuesday. "She's done a fantastic job and we've done a fantastic job together."

Haley's name has come up as possible Republican running mate in the last two presidential elections and she could also become a U.S. senator if fellow South Carolina Republican Lindsey Graham takes up a job in the Trump administration, as is often speculated.

Trump suggested the two of them jointly announce Haley's departure in the Oval Office, an administration official said, noting that Haley was the only outgoing senior member of Trump's administration to be feted in this way.

Haley praised Trump and his family for their support.

She described Jared Kushner, Trump's son-in-law and aide, as "such a hidden genius that no one understands" for his work on renegotiating the NAFTA trade deal and preparing a long-awaited Middle East peace plan that has not yet been released.

Haley was seen by her counterparts at the U.N. as a voice of clarity in an administration that often gave mixed signals on foreign policy, diplomats say.

But she has been overshadowed in recent months by the appointments of Trump loyalist Mike Pompeo as secretary of state and hawk John Bolton as White House national security adviser.

Pompeo has led policy on talks with North Korea, while Bolton has taken the lead on trying to implement Trump's hard line against Iran.

Sen. Robert Menendez, the top Democrat on the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, called Haley's resignation "yet another sign of the Trump administration's chaotic foreign policy."

"I am deeply concerned about the leadership vacuum she leaves and the national security impact of her departure at this time of continued disarray," Menendez said.

Haley is the latest in a long line of high-profile departures from the administration, such as former secretary of state Rex Tillerson, who was fired in March, and Steve Bannon, Trump's chief strategist, who left in August 2017.

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Why did Nikki Haley resign as UN ambassador?

Senior White House staff were caught off-guard and pundits were left speculating about ulterior motives after U.N. Ambassador Nikki Haley's resignation on Tuesday, despite assurances from Haley and President Donald Trump that the move had been planned.

Announcing Haley's resignation in a joint photo op on Tuesday, President Trump said that he would be ready to name a replacement in a few weeks. This suggested the move hadn't been planned that much.

"Something doesn't smell right," said Rep. Mark Sanford (R-SC) on MSNBC. "Something's weird."

Haley, who has been on the job since Trump's inauguration, will leave at the end of the year. "As a strong supporter of term limits, I have long believed that rotation in office benefits the public," Haley said in her resignation letter to Trump, which was dated Oct. 3. "As a businessman, I expect you will appreciate my sense that returning from government to the private sector is not a step down but a step up."

At the photo op, Haley said she wasn't sure exactly what she would be doing. She immediately worked to tamp down speculation that she would run for president in 2020, saying she would support Trump.

Several political analysts observed that Haley leaving 28 days before the midterm elections wasn't great optics. They speculated that Trump planned to fire Attorney General Jeff Sessions after the midterms and install Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-SC) as his replacement, leaving an open seat to which Haley, the former South Carolina governor, could be appointed. Although her resignation letter was dated last week, Haley made her public announcement one day after the Washington ethics watchdog group CREW called for an investigation into her acceptance of free flights on private jets.

"As a strong supporter of term limits, I have long believed that rotation in office benefits the public."

Nikki Haley

And although Haley is often cited as the rare senior Trump official to escape public embarrassment at the president's Twitter hand, she was in the U.S. chair when Trump drew derisive laughter during his speech before the U.N. General Assembly last month.

As for Haley's replacement: Citing three sources, CNBC reported that White House officials had approached former national security adviser Dina Powell about taking the job. CNN speculated that first daughter Ivanka Trump was being eyed. "How good would Ivanka be?" Trump said on the White House lawn Tuesday, after noting that Powell was being considered.

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No charges to be filed after Philadelphia Police shoot man in his home

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The incident has been declared "an all-out, absolute tragedy" by Police Commissioner Richard Ross.

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The Philadelphia district attorney's office says it will not press charges in the shooting death of 59-year-old Ricardo Giddings that took place on Aug. 6.

Giddings was shot by officers in his home who were there with the assistance of the SWAT team to arrest his grandson on a weapons violation.

Ricardo Giddings mistook the Philadelphia Police for an intruder and fired four shots from a stairway inside the home, shooting Officer Jaison Potts, a 20-year veteran on the force, in the face. Officer Angel Vasquez returned fire during the unfortunate incident, killing Giddings.

Potts was listed in critical condition following the shooting. Giddings' wife Joann was also injured. She sustained gunshot wounds to the abdomen and was hospitalized for her injuries.

The DA found that Vasquez "reasonably believed he was in danger of death or serious bodily injury," prompting them not to pursue charges.

The Philadelphia district attorney's office issued a statement in the matter.

"Our office has carefully reviewed the available relevant materials about this matter, including interviews of multiple witnesses, and the investigative reports from relevant city agencies. We have concluded that the officer reasonably believed he was in danger of death or serious bodily injury. The officer was, therefore, legally justified in using deadly force and in this circumstance no criminal charges are warranted."

Following the incident on Aug. 6, Giddings' grandson did show up. The family of Ricardo Giddings also shared with Action News that they did not hear the Philadelphia Police announce their presence at the residence.

Police Commissioner Richard Ross called the shooting incident "an all-out, absolute tragedy."

Aging at home with dementia

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ASK ILLUMINATED HEARTS:

Roughly 50 million people worldwide are currently living with dementia, according to the World Health Organization. So what does this mean for those who are aging at home? Metro sat down with Illuminated Hearts, a Philadelphia home-care provider, to explore how this affects both seniors and their caregivers.

What exactly is dementia?

Dementia isn't exactly a specific disease, but rather a term that describes a group of symptoms associated with a decline in memory or other thinking skills that's severe enough to reduce a person's ability to perform everyday activities. Since different types of dementia are linked to different types of brain cell damage in particular regions of the brain, there isn't a one-size-fits-all test to diagnose it. Instead, doctors often run various tests that may include lab work and physical exams. They may also monitor daily cognitive changes. While there's no cure for dementia, early detection and management of symptoms may slow down its progression.

What symptoms should I be looking out for?

Many forms of dementia are progressive, starting out slowly and gradually getting worse. People with dementia may have problems with short-term memory, keeping track of a purse or wallet, paying bills, planning and preparing meals, remembering appointments, or traveling out of the neighborhood.

What do caregivers need to know about caring for someone with dementia?

As a caregiver, remember to always allow individuals with dementia to keep their dignity and autonomy as much as possible while still providing them with the help they need. Another helpful tip is to always approach someone with dementia from the front, which can help ease their anxiety. Keep instructions short and simple.

Offer choices instead of asking "yes" or "no" questions. If they become frustrated back off, then give them a chance to calm down and try again later.

What services does Illuminated Hearts provide for those with dementia?

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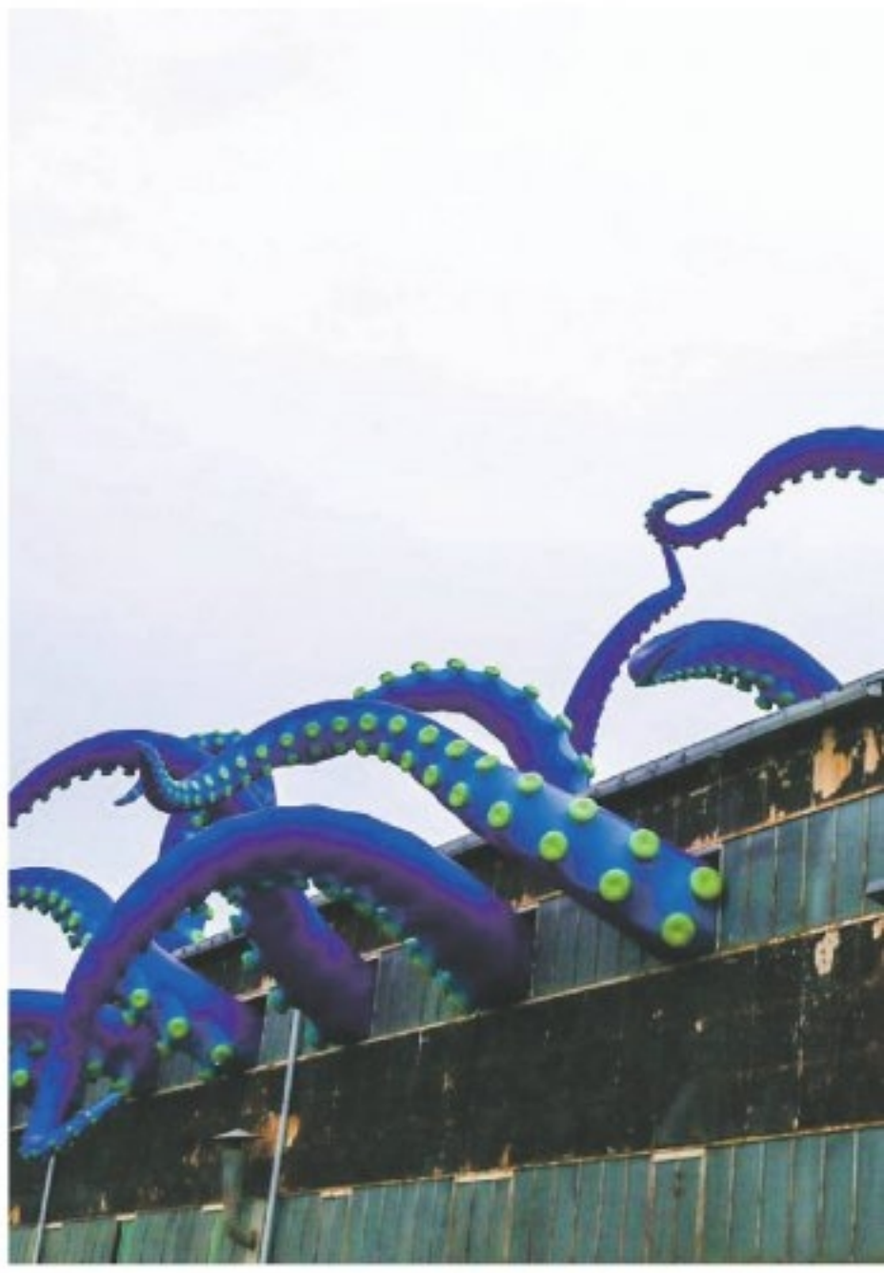

Philadelphia Navy Yard invaded by 'sea monster'

The artwork opened to the public Monday and will be on display for 45 days.

The Philadelphia Navy Yard is attracting attention with the recent addition of a big purple sea monster exploding from the windows of Building 611.

Philadelphia Industrial Development Corporation, who owns and manages the old Navy Yard and surrounding real estate, hopes to connect with the community by way of the large, tentacled creature, and give residents a reason to visit.

"We want to use art and culture to connect to the community," said PIDC's Navy Yard marketing director Jennifer Tran. "This provides an excuse to visit."

PDIC reached out to a number of local artists who call themselves Group X. The talented bunch (who claim to maintain anonymity for the sake of art), as well as U.K.-based artists Luke Egan and Pete Hamilton — a.k.a. Filthy Luker and Pedro Estrellas — developed and created the sea monster.

"Earlier this year, Group X pitched us on doing this piece," said Tran. "Out of all the designs, this one spoke to us because we thought it was really unique. It's never been seen before in Philadelphia. We thought it really pushed

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the boundaries."

The sea monster has 20 tentacles that are each 40 feet long, allowing them to sway and come alive through the building's windows.

"We want to use art and culture to connect to the community."

Jennifer Tran

"We're aiming to make artwork enjoyable for all," Group X shared in a news release. "We want to break through the proverbial, and in this case physical, walls that can too often keep people from feeling invited into the arts world."

The Navy Yard plans to feature additional art installations in the future.

"This is a fun piece. Lets people's imagination runs wild," said Tran. "It's a sea monster. Some people might think it came from the Delaware. Others might think it's trying to escape the building."

The sea monster will be on display for 45 days with new artwork on the way in the future as part of PIDC's mission to attract visitors with art.

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Swift response from voters as singer gets into politics

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The "Shake It Off" singer recently endorsed two Tennessee Democrats.

Pop music luminary Taylor Swift's decision to wade into electoral politics for the first time on Sunday has driven a spike in online voter registration, particularly among young people, according to the website Vote.org.

The nonprofit site, which helps people register online, reported 240,000 new registrations since Swift posted a message on Instagram endorsing two Democratic candidates in her home state of Tennessee and urging people to register.

By comparison, the site recorded 57,000 new registrations in all of August and 190,000 last month. About 102,000 of the registrations since Sunday were among voters between 18 and 29 years old, an increase that the site said was likely prompted by Swift's post.

57K
New voter registrations in August

102K
New voter registrations in September

Vote.org acknowledged it was not possible to measure the direct impact of Swift's move.

"But one thing is clear, we're seeing a massive surge in the 18-24 and 25-29 voters," the site said in a statement.

Swift's enormous reach — she has 112 million Instagram followers and 84 million Twitter followers — underscores the way that celebrities can leverage their online presence by sending messages instantaneously to their millions of fans.

The registration deadline is Tuesday in Tennessee and more than a dozen other states.

Swift was scheduled to open the 2018 American Music Awards on Tuesday evening with her first awards show performance in almost three years, the show announced. She will perform "I Did Something Bad" from her multi-platinum album, "Reputation."

Polls show the U.S. Senate contest between Democrat Phil Bredesen and Republican Marsha Blackburn, a staunch supporter of President Donald Trump, is virtually tied in a state that Trump won by 16 points in 2016.

Swift, who has largely eschewed politics even as she has become one of pop music's biggest global superstars, told her followers she could not support Blackburn due to the congresswoman's record on women's issues and gay rights.

"In the past I've been reluctant to publicly voice my political opinions, but due to several events in my life and in the world in the past two years, I feel very differently about that now," wrote Swift. In addition to Bredesen, Swift endorsed Democratic U.S. Rep. Jim Cooper for re-election in a Tennessee congressional race.

Wading into politics can be dicey for artists with roots — and fans — in country music, the dominant genre of red-state America. The country crossover band Dixie Chicks generated a firestorm of criticism when the band publicly disavowed the U.S. invasion of Iraq in 2003. President Donald Trump dismissed Swift as an uninformed voter. "Let's just say I like Taylor's music about 25 percent less now, OK?" he told reporters on Monday. REUTERS

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Bill Ackman, chief executive officer of Pershing Square Capital Management LP. GETTY IMAGES

William Ackman said on Tuesday his activist hedge fund Pershing Square Capital Management LP has built a roughly $900 million position in Starbucks Corp., betting the world's biggest coffee chain can overcome stagnant sales in its home market.

Ackman's unveiling of a 1.1 percent stake in Starbucks comes as the Seattle-based company is trying to convince investors it can fend off heavy competition from rivals, including fast-food chains and high-end coffee shops. Last month, it announced a reorganization that includes leadership changes and job losses.

While activist shareholders are known to pick fights with chief executives and corporate boards, Ackman sounded a conciliatory tone on Tuesday, as he unveiled Pershing Square's investment at the Grant's Fall 2018 Conference in New York.

Ackman said recent actions by Kevin Johnson, who took over from Howard Schultz as Starbucks CEO last year, were "encouraging" and that Starbucks' recent challenges are "fixable with appropriate management execution." Schultz stepped down as Starbucks' executive chairman in June.

Ackman praised the re-evaluation of Starbucks' portfolio, the closure of Teavana stores, a rejiggering of its owned and licensed businesses, its cost-cutting initiatives and a $19 billion three-year share buyback program.

"We look forward to maintaining a productive dialogue with Mr. Ackman as we do with all of our shareholders," Starbucks said in a statement. Pershing Square declined to comment further.

Starbucks shares rose as much as 5.5 percent on the news and closed 2.1 percent higher at $57.71 on Tuesday. The shares have been flat this year, while the S&P 500 Index has risen 8 percent.

In his presentation dubbed "Doppio" — a reference to a double shot of espresso — Ackman said

$8.4B

Pershing Square has $8.4 billion in assets under management.

Starbucks' share price could more than double over the next three years if the company can meet its targets.

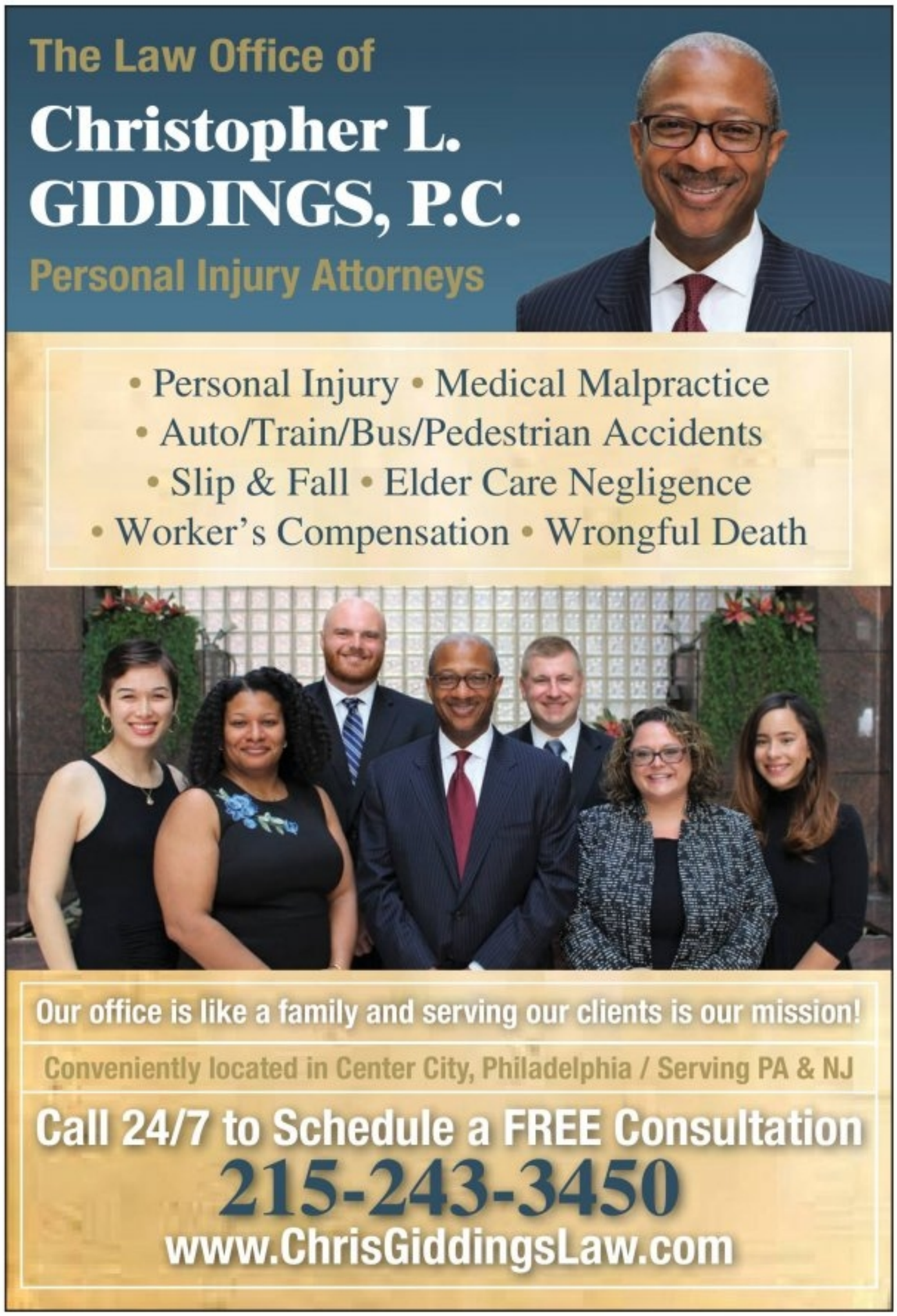
Pershing Square built its stake in Starbucks in the last three months, according to people familiar with the matter. It was not immediately clear whether Pershing Square had any discussions with Starbucks prior to unveiling its position.

Ackman has made his name in the activist shareholder world as a passionate advocate of his positions, even breaking down in tears on occasion while defending his bets on companies such as Herbalife Nutrition Ltd. and Target Corp.

After three years of losses at Pershing Square, Ackman has adopted a lower profile that appears to be paying off, with his hedge fund up 13.8 percent in the first nine months of the year. The average hedge fund has gained less than 2 percent during the same period.

This is partly thanks to Ackman's managing to turn previous losses into wins. Last year, he lost a bitter proxy contest against payroll processing company Automatic Data Processing Inc., yet the company's recent strong performance has boosted his portfolio.

Pershing Square, which has $8.4 billion in assets under management, has also unveiled positions this year in Nike Inc., United Technologies Corp. and Lowe's Companies Inc. None of these investments resulted in a public fight, and Pershing Square has already exited Nike. REUTERS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The winning caption from Emma C., *Metro US reader*

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Aries Don't limit what you can do because of fear, or back down when someone doesn't agree with you. Compromise based on understanding and intelligence.

Taurus Take note of what others say instead of taking offense. You'll gain greater perspective on a situation if you listen and consider what's being offered. Change will lead to personal progress.

Gemini Put your head down and keep working toward your goal. Much can be accomplished if you are less vocal and more intent on finishing what you start.

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Libra You'll have a lot riding on the changes you make. Listen to suggestions and use what's offered to the best of your ability. Look for the positive in everything.

Scorpio With change comes new opportunities. Embrace what life has to offer and share your emotions with someone you care about. Positive acts will lead to personal improvements.

Sagittarius Observe what others do and listen to what they say. What you learn will give you a better idea of how to proceed. Set out on your own path, see where it leads.

Capricorn Doing things differently will bring about positive change. Your insight and experience will make others take note. An unusual offer will change the way you move forward.

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Making a murderer: Anders Danielsen Lie on becoming Anders Breivik for '22 July'

"He is frightening normal in many respects."

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Jon Oigarden as Geir Lippestad and Anders Danielsen Lie as Anders Behring Breivik in "22 July." ALL PHOTOS ERIK AAVATSMARK / NETFLIX

Anders Danielsen Lie was always aware of the preparation and the mental toil that playing Anders Breivik, the mass murderer who killed 77 people across Oslo, Norway, in July 2011 would require. So much so that Lie recently told Metro it took him a few weeks to agree to the part.

"It was a huge responsibility. I had to be absolutely certain that I could create a character that was believable. I would never have done it if I didn't feel like I could do it," Lie said. "I knew that it was going to be a huge research job. It took me a while to reflect on how this could affect me, if I was capable of making a truthful and responsible portrait, and that was the most important thing."

Lie ultimately signed up, citing the Oscar-nominated talents of writer and director Paul Greengrass as the main reason why. But then he had to do a deep dive into the dark and murderous mind of Breivik, who is in prison in Norway, during which time his biggest takeaway was just how "frighteningly normal" he was.

"He is a slightly idiosyncratic character. A lot of that is in his way of talk-

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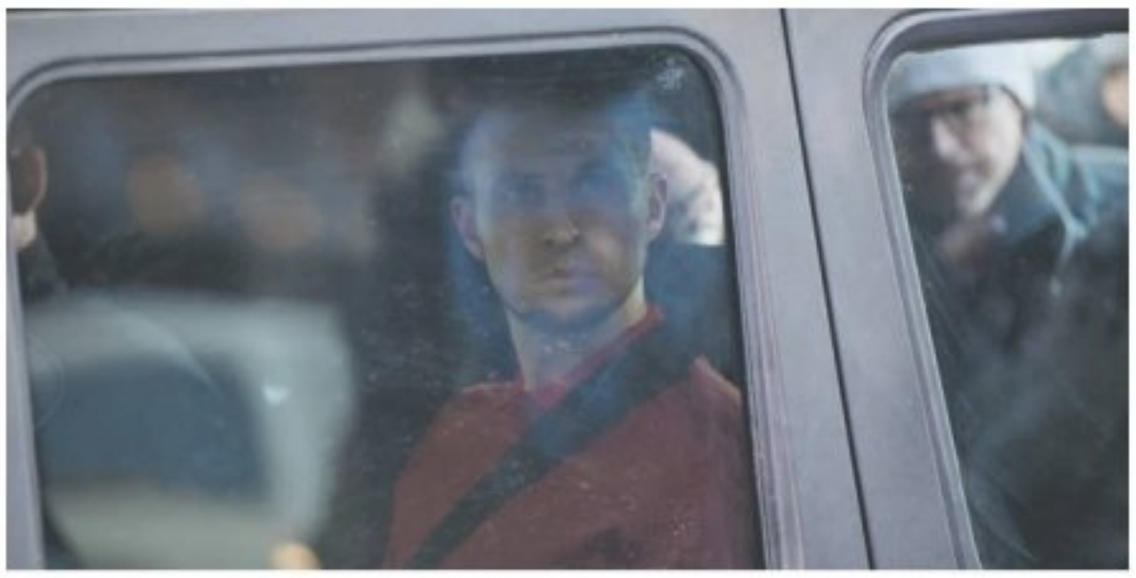

ing and the words that he uses. I couldn't actually use that because we were shooting in English and a lot of it was Norwegian idiomatic. So it was hard to use that," says Lie. "He is an awkward person in many, many ways. But he is also frighteningly normal in many other respects. When you watch him in an interrogation that is perhaps the most striking feature. That he comes across as fairly normal.

"It is actually quite disturbing to watch a person, when you know what he has done, and he is so ordinary and normal. It is very disturbing," he adds. "I was trying to analyze my reaction to that. Because I think we have a tendency to mystify evil people. We want them to be monsters. We don't want them to be human beings. We don't want to be a part of us. I think that is what was going on psychologically."

Lie thought it was important to not portray him as a monster.

"I really wanted to show that he was also a human being, and a quite normal human being in many aspects," he says. "But in that sense he also has psychology traits that [are] deeply pathological. He has a total lack of compassion and emotional empathy for the victims. He also has narcissistic traits. So he is not completely normal. But in many ways he is."

Ultimately, Lie watched most of the nearly 200 hours worth of interrogation footage between Breivik and the police after the events, all of which helped to form and build the character.

"I found out that he is quite emotionally detached," says Lie. "There was not much anger. Not much sadness. He can be joking sometimes, but there were no strong emotions."

"22 July" is on Netflix.

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Nathan Morris of Boyz II Men on his passion for flipping houses

The singer tells us about his brand-new series, "Hit Properties with Nathan Morris."

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Nathan Morris is a builder.

During his nearly 30-year career as member of Boyz II Men, along with Shawn Stockman and Wanya Morris, his hits have included "End of the Road" and "I'll Make Love to You."

While Boyz II Men still performs, including with a residency at The Mirage in Las Vegas, Morris has been expanding his interests to real estate, specifically flipping houses. This passion has led him to his own show, "Hit Properties with Nathan Morris" on the DIY Network.

The show follows the singer on his journey to renovate and flip an 8,200-square-foot abandoned mansion in Miami, Florida. We caught up with Morris to find out if he has any advice for people looking to get into flipping houses and what the future holds for Philly's own Boyz II Men.

What first got you interested in flipping houses?
Well, it's funny. I've been investing in real estate for a while. Some pretty lucrative deals with my manager and another partner that we have.

As far as the construction and design stuff, I've done that more on the personal side, with my homes and everything, but I've never really brought the two together.

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Over the last year and a half or so, we've been trying to do things of that nature, and this happened to be one of the bigger projects that we were doing and we wanted to come up with an idea to do a show around it and it made sense. For me, it makes sense to do both at the same time because I love doing the construction and the interior design stuff. I was invested anyway. So, it made all of the sense in the world to me.

Did flipping this house help you understand the difference between investing time and investing money?

Sweat equity is important! I realized that from flying back and forth from Las Vegas every weekend — or every other weekend — when I had to get there to work on the show. There is a different understanding of it when you do it. When you think about why people tend to charge so much for kitchens and bathrooms, it's because there is a lot of time and sweat equity put into it. But when you do it this way, you do understand what the differences are.

What were some of the hurdles that you encountered during this project?

As a creative person and a creative artist, the toughest hurdle for me was focusing on staying neutral. Because when you're flipping a house for a sale there's a difference versus buying a property that you'll keep and then maybe sell one day. You've got to keep it as neutral as possible so you can get as many people as possible to come through.

In my case, I'm creative so I like to do a lot of different things. But I had to kind of back it down just a bit to make sure that it wasn't corny and so "blah," that it was boring but it was neutral enough to still have some energy and some pop that people would want to come through and envision themselves living in that house.

What is going on with Boyz II Men? Do you guys have any upcoming plans?

We always have plans. It's funny — maybe a lot of people don't know — but we've had a residency in Las Vegas for the last five years. So we've been out there performing at least 20-22 weekends a year alongside all of the corporate gigs and stuff that we do in between. Then we take on specialty projects. We still do music but I don't say that we would do the typical "let's go into the studio and make an album" thing. Over 27 years, we've built up enough creative options that we have the options to do what we like and not do what we don't like. It just makes life a lot easier.

"Hit Properties with Nathan Morris" airs Saturdays at 10:30 p.m. on the DIY Network.

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Running back LeSean McCoy of the Buffalo Bills runs with the ball against the Tennessee Titans in the fourth quarter at New Era Field on Oct. 7 in Buffalo, New York. GETTY IMAGES

Three trade options at RB for the Eagles

With Jay Ajayi out for the season, Philly needs to make a trade for another RB.

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Heading into this month, many fans were wondering if the Eagles would be active at the trade deadline. Unlike last year, Philadelphia has a few glaring holes at certain positions that could use a mid-season upgrade.

One of those positions is running back. Before Jay Ajayi went down with a season-ending knee injury on Sunday, the Eagles were already banged up at the spot and leaned heavily on the tandem of Corey Clement and Wendell Smallwood.

However, Philadelphia is now in serious trouble as Clement and Darren Sproles are still dealing with nagging injuries, leaving Smallwood and undrafted free agent Josh Adams as the only healthy running backs on the roster.

The question now on the mind of Eagles fans is who can they acquire before the trade deadline? Last year, they struck gold at the deadline, getting Ajayi from the Miami Dolphins for a draft pick.

Can Eagles EVP of Player Personnel Howie Roseman make another power move to keep his team's season afloat?

Here are three running backs that the Eagles should consider trading for.

1. LE'VEON BELL

When the news about Ajayi came out on Monday evening, the first player whom fans immediately thought about as a replacement is Pittsburgh Steelers running back Le'Veon Bell.

As we all know by now, Bell has held out since the summer due to not receiving a long-term deal from the Steelers. The All-Pro running back last played a snap of football in January, but that has not stopped teams from inquiring about his availability.

Last week, it was reported by Jason La Canfora that the Eagles, along with the New York Jets and San Francisco 49ers, expressed interest in trading for Bell. However, it does not seem like the Eagles have interest in the talented running back.

ESPN's Adam Schefter and Chris Mortensen reported on Monday that Philadelphia has not pursued a trade for Bell and does not plan to.

On the surface this looks like a smokescreen, because also on Monday night the Eagles restructured the contract of defensive tackle Fletcher Cox, freeing up $6.5 million of cap space this season. It would be ignorant for the Eagles to not inquire about Bell because he fits in perfectly with what they do on offense. He is a game-changer and play-maker whom the offense could desperately use at this point.

2. DAVID JOHNSON

Along with Bell, the Eagles could place a phone call in with the Arizona Cardinals for running back David Johnson. On Monday night, Derrick Gunn of NBC Sports Philadelphia said not to be surprised if Philly is inquiring about the young running back.

Johnson recently signed a three-year contract extension worth $45 million but is not having a great season with Arizona.

In five games this season, Johnson has 242 rushing yards on 74 carries and four touchdowns along with 120 receiving yards and a touchdown, not to mention he is also only averaging 3.3 yards per carry behind a poor offensive line.

Could Johnson be due for a change of scenery? If you are Arizona, you definitely have to consider it, with how your season is turning out.

They are currently 1-4 and more than likely destined for the top 10 of the 2019 NFL Draft. Therefore, the Eagles seem like the perfect trading partner for the Cardinals as they have two second-round picks to play with.

If Philadelphia could add Johnson, it would give them a dual-threat weapon.

In his second season, Johnson had a breakout year with 2,118 yards from scrimmage and 20 total touchdowns.

3. LESEAN MCCOY

The Eagles already brought back one familiar face to the offense in wide receiver Jordan Matthews — could they do the same thing at running back? Josh Reed of WIVB in Buffalo reported on Tuesday that the Eagles reached out to the Bills about a potential trade for LeSean McCoy.

Along the same lines, Mike Garafolo of the NFL Network reported that the Eagles have "checked in" on McCoy. Even though he is now 30 years old, McCoy is the cheaper option out of Bell and Johnson that Philadelphia could potentially acquire.

This season, the former second-round pick of the Eagles only has 170 yards on 45 carries with no touchdowns. For the first time last week, McCoy received more than 10 carries in a game and put together a solid performance. He had 85 rushing yards on 24 carries against the Titans.

While his production on the field has not been up to par, McCoy could still be a viable option with the Eagles. Unlike with the Bills, he would be in a running back-by-committee system and receive possibly 20-25 touches per game.

Other players to consider: Tevin Coleman, Carlos Hyde and Ameer Abdullah.

NFL power rankings: Eagles drop out of top 10

Ranking the top teams ahead of Week 6.

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1. LA RAMS (5-0) LAST WEEK: 1

This week it was Todd Gurley's turn to shine on offense. The running back had three touchdowns but it was Jared Goff who converted a fourth-and-one attempt inside the Rams' own territory to seal the win and allow them to run out the clock.

2. KC CHIEFS (5-0) LAST WEEK: 2

Despite allowing 500 total yards, this was the Chiefs' best defensive effort of the season. They had five sacks and five takeaways. Chris Jones even scored a defensive touchdown before being ejected from the game later. While the passing attack sputtered for the first time this season, the ground game looks to be perking up.

3. NO SAINTS (4-1) LAST WEEK: 3

A blowout victory for the Saints was also a magical night for Drew Brees, who passed Peyton Manning to become the NFL's all-time passing yards leader in style. Brees now has 72,102 career yards and it's easy to expect he'll add a few thousand more to the record before hanging them up.

4. NE PATRIOTS (3-2) LAST WEEK: 8

Tom Brady's 500th career touchdown pass was his first to Josh Gordon. Gordon's first touchdown in New England was his second of 2018 after scoring just one time from 2014-2017. Brady, whose first pass of the night was a completion to Julian Edelman, freshly returned from suspension, now sits third all-time in touchdown throws, with Brett Favre's second-place mark (508) firmly in sight.

5. CIN. BENGALS (4-1) LAST WEEK: 9

The Bengals salvaged a 17-0 deficit against the Dolphins and maintained the lead in their division thanks to Cleveland knocking off the Ravens. They have their first matchup in 2018 with the Steelers next, and could set the tone for the AFC North for the rest of the season.

6. CAR. PANTHERS (3-1) LAST WEEK: 5

Graham Gano hit a 63-yard field goal to beat the Giants as time expired and it was his fourth successful kick on four attempts Sunday. It's also tied for the second-longest field goal in NFL history. So, all-in-all, not a bad day. They've got Washington next as they try to keep pace with the Saints.

7. JAX. JAGUARS (3-2) LAST WEEK: 4

Blake Bortles once again lit up the passing yards chart with 430, but it's way overshadowed by four interceptions including a pick-six and a strip-sack, one of five Bortles takedowns on the day. That's how you lose when your star-studded defense gets the first two interceptions of Patrick Mahomes this season and contains the NFL's hottest offense.

8. MIN. VIKINGS (2-2-1) LAST WEEK: 15

The Vikings actually had great success running the ball against the NFL's stouter run defense without Dalvin Cook. The real story here was their beleaguered defense, however, which returned a fumble 68 yards for a touchdown and held the Eagles to two-of-nine on third down.

9. PIT. STEELERS (2-2-1) LAST WEEK: 16

The Steelers look back on track after this one. The woeful defense showed up against one of the league's best offenses. They sacked Matt Ryan six times and ended Calvin Ridley's hot streak. Meanwhile, James Conner followed some miserable outings with his best performance (185 total yards) and Antonio Brown broke out with two scores.

10. CHI. BEARS (3-1) LAST WEEK: 10

Coming out of Chicago's bye, everyone will be watching to see how Mitchell Trubisky follows up his six-touchdown performance two weeks ago. Chicago will just be trying to maintain first place in the NFC North. They'll be facing the reeling Dolphins as both teams try to get to four wins on the season.

11. PHL. EAGLES (2-3) LAST WEEK: 7

Penalties continued to plague the Eagles last Sunday including three for illegal formation. Doug Pederson decided not to let Jake Elliott, who beat the Giants on a 61-yard kick a year ago, try a 58-yard field goal in the fourth quarter, punting instead. The Vikings then hit their own 52-yard attempt to put the game out of reach.

The Eagles dropped out of the top 10 after a loss to the Vikings. GETTY IMAGES

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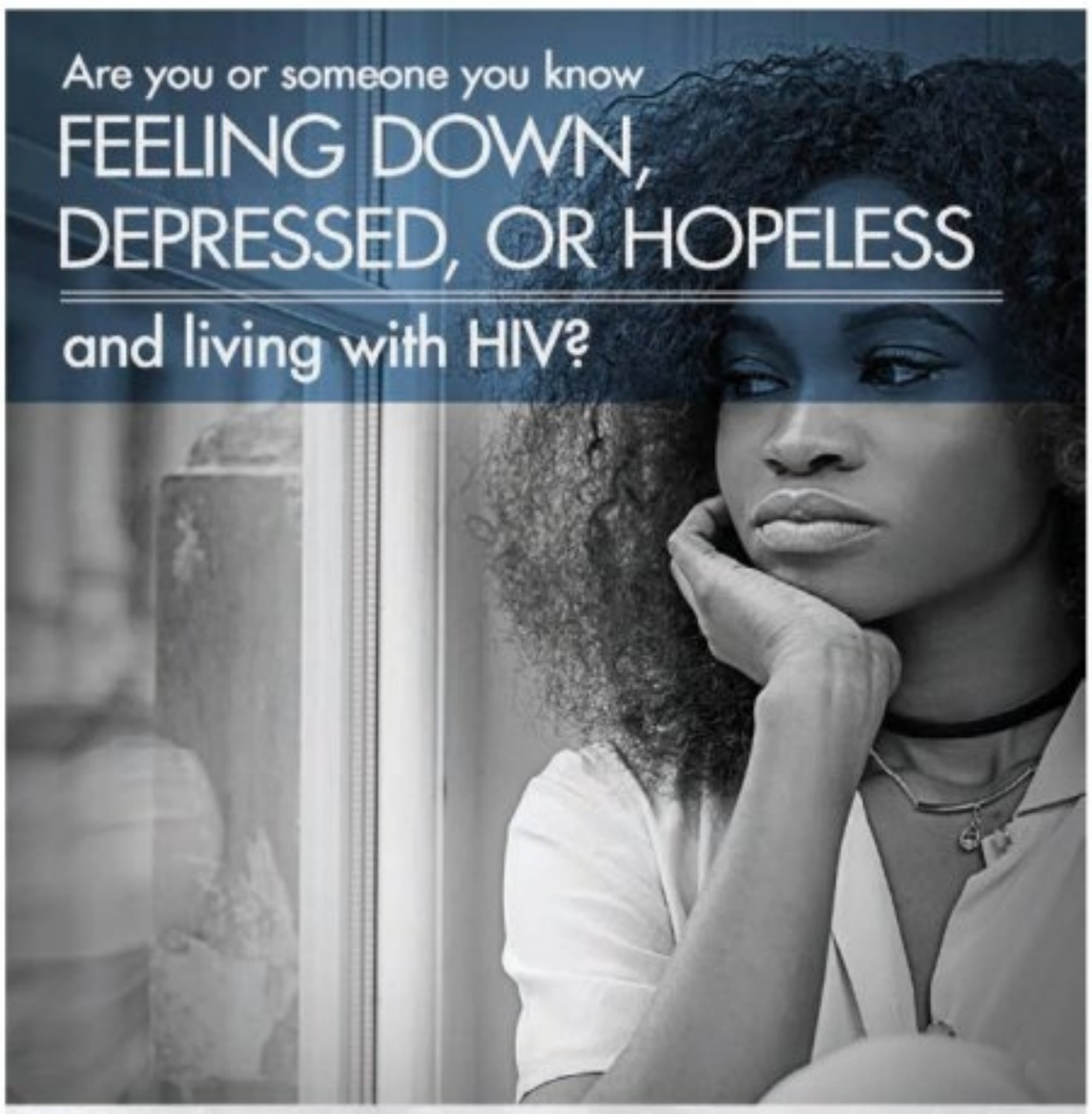

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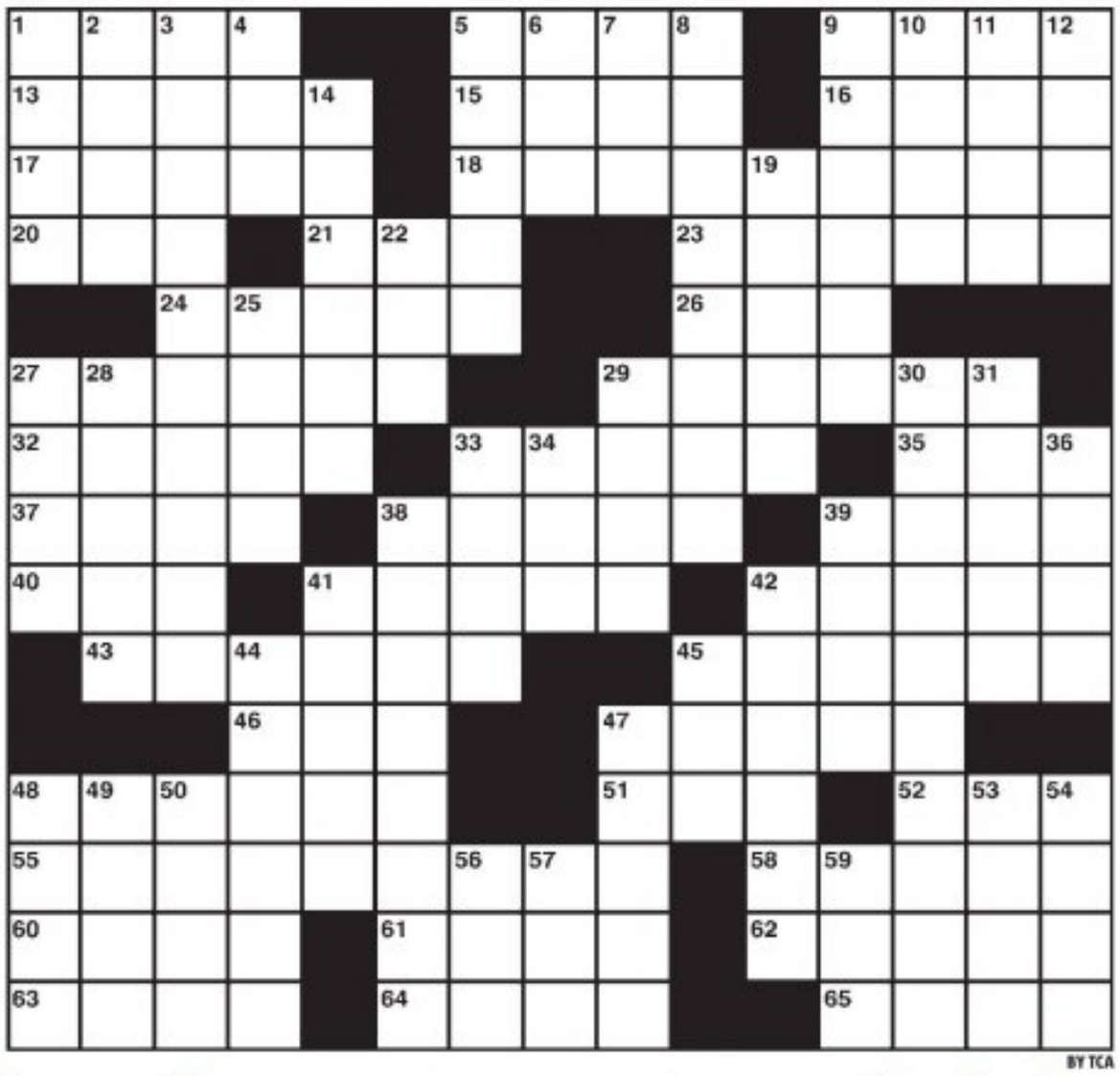

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25 Haughtiness
27 Tools with sharp points
28 Spin fast
29 Truck scale divisions
30 Make worse
31 Stringed instruments
33 Unsightly skin mark
34 That fellow
36 Gusto
38 Positive outlook
39 Small eatery
41 Foreign farewell
42 Frays
44 Steers clear of
45 Piglet's ma
47 Ways and __ committee
48 Close noisily
49 __-Cola
50 One of Donald Duck's nephews
53 Leave out
54 Brown shades
56 Dined
57 Kook
59 Friendly dog, for short

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Broadway
Chandelier
Christine
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Lloyd
Mask
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Musical
Opera
Organ
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